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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop: Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Dear Sir/Madam:

In response to the Office Action dated January 22, 2010, with a shortened three month statutory period of reply, which expires April 22, 2010 we request that you please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

Amendment to Claims: begin on page 2 of this document.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this document.